

TELEPHONE LOG SHEET

INDUSTRY NAME: BLUE STREAM LUBE & OIL

DATE: September 29, 1995

CONTACT PERSON: Joe Horton

TIME:

NUMBER CALLED: 864-1489

PURPOSE FOR CALL

This afternoon Joe Horton called to tell me he had the literature for several different different recycling systems for antifreeze. He said there will be more literature coming in. Mr. Horton said he wanted to let us know he was working on the problem. I asked him to call when he decided on a system.

SIGNATURE

Karen Chandler

3325 E. Sunshine

To: Miscellaneous Spill Investigation File
From: Karen Chandler
Subject: Blue Stream Lube and Oil
Date: September 26, 1995

MEMORANDUM

This morning Gene Pabst and I went to Blue Stream Lube and Oil to check the complaint from DNR about them letting antifreeze run onto the parking lot. We talked first with Mr. Greg Byler. He said they didn't do this. He thought a disgruntled employee had made the complaint. Mr. Byler showed us the machine they have that pumps the antifreeze out of the car into a small open tank. This is then disposed of in the sanitary sewer. We told Mr. Byler that the City wasn't accepting antifreeze into the sewer anymore and that it needed to be either recycled or hauled away. He said they had checked into a machine that would recycle it and it was going to cost \$2000, so they hadn't done it yet. We also talked to Mr. Joe Horton, the owner of Blue Stream about the proper disposal of antifreeze. We asked him to contact us after he has decided how he will dispose of the antifreeze. We also checked the sump pit in the lower level. The water from this pit is pumped through a plastic pipe onto the parking lot. The floor in the lower level was clean and there was no evidence that oily water was being pumped out onto the parking lot through the sump pump.

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September 13, 1995

Mr. Robert Dennison
Blue Stream Lube and Oil
3325 East Sunshine
Springfield, MO 65804

Dear Mr. Dennison:

This office has again been notified that your facility is allegedly mishandling used oils, used oil filters, waste antifreezes and freon. A recent drive by inspection of the facility indicated that the used oil staining on the lot which was present at time of the December 1994 complaint has been eliminated.

You must ensure that all filters are either allowed to drain for a period of 24 hours prior to disposal as a solid waste or are disposed as an oil contaminated waste. You were provided technical information on this subject in Mr. Charles Kroeger's December 14, 1994 letter to you. Used oils must not be placed into the solid waste receptacle.

By copy of this letter, the department is forwarding the complainants concerns regarding the flushing of waste antifreeze into the (storm sewer) to the city of Springfield and the concern regarding potential release of freon to the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please advise.

Sincerely,

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL OFFICE



Mark Rader
Environmental Specialist

BLUE STREAM
LUBE & OIL

10-MINUTE OIL CHANGE

Greg W. Byler
Manager

3325 E. Sunshine
Springfield, MO 65804

(417) 886-0645

Public Works, Sewer O
s Division



BLUE STREAM LUBE & OIL
10-MINUTE OIL CHANGE

3325 E. SUNSHINE
886-0645
JOE HORTON, OWNER-OPERATOR

Greene County/HW
General

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GAK, please
inspect to see if
we need to take
any action.
Stormwater sump?

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December 14, 1994

Mr. Robert Dennison
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3325 East Sunshine
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Dear Mr. Dennison:

This is to confirm our conversation of December 13, 1994, regarding the handling of spent oil filters and the sump water from the basement of the Blue Stream Lube and Oil facility located at 3325 East Sunshine in Springfield, Missouri.

This office had received a complaint regarding excess oil in the dumpster due to inadequate drainage of oil from the spent oil filters prior to disposal. The anonymous caller also expressed concern about the oil on the lot from the mop water which apparently is from the sump in the basement.

You indicated that the filters are drained overnight prior to disposal into the dumpster. Please note that the guidance provided from the Department of Natural Resources states that spent filters should be allowed to drain for at least 24 hours. A copy of the Technical Bulletin is enclosed. The information also suggests that businesses which generate significant amounts of spent filters may want to utilize a crusher to further recover the used oil and reduce the amount going into the landfill.

By copy of this letter, we are advising the Springfield Sanitary Services department of the existence of the sump. It may be that the water from the sump should be piped to the municipal sewerage system to eliminate the discharge of cleanup water containing oil and other chemicals. The facility must, at a minimum, take steps to eliminate the discharge of oil to the parking lot and storm sewers.

Blue Stream Lube and Oil
December 14, 1994
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If you have any questions regarding these matters, please advise.

Sincerely,

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL OFFICE



Charles L. Kroeger
Environmental Specialist

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✓ c: Randy Lyman, Springfield Public Works, Sewer Operations

City of Springfield
Water Pollution Control Section
Pollution Complaint/Report Form

Date 12-19-89

Report From:

- ☒ Citizen
☐ Fire Dept
☐ Sewer Maintenance
☐ Other

Received By: Health Dept.

Referred To: Gene Pabst

Date of Incident: 12-1 ?

Complainant Information:

Name Anonymous
Address _____
Phone _____
Directions (if needed) _____

Responsible Party Information:

Name Blue Streak Lube & Oil
Address 3325 E. Sunshine
Phone 886-0645

Possible contamination of: ☐ soil ☐ groundwater
☐ surface water what body? _____
☒ other Sanitary Sewer

Other Pertinent Information

Who to contact:

- | | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> DNR 417-883-4033 | <input type="checkbox"/> Bob Schaefer | <input type="checkbox"/> Sewer Const |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DNR 314-634-2436 | <input type="checkbox"/> CU 831-8320 | <input type="checkbox"/> Chemtrec 800-424-9300 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EPA 913-236-3378 | <input type="checkbox"/> Street Dept | <input type="checkbox"/> DOT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Dept 864-1719 | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Dept | <input type="checkbox"/> NRC 312-790-5500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Police Dept 864-1719 | <input type="checkbox"/> Sewer Maint | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

Details of Incident: Anonymous Complaint stated that used oil was dumped into hole in floor.

Action needed: Karen Chandler & I talked to Mr. Joe Horton, Owner-Operator of Blue Streak on 12-19-89. Mr. Horton showed us his storage tank for used oil. Southwest Petroleum was there pumping out the tank while we were there. This was a very clean operation. There appears to be no validity to this complaint. All garage bays go to oil storage tank.

Gene Pabst

3325 E. Sunshine